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## NO DEFINITE RESULTS IN VERDUN FIGHTING

Germans made a Successful Attack Near Vaux  
But Paris Claims They Were Finally Repulsed. Heavy Fighting Near Avlona Means  
Austrian Offensive Against Italians.

(By Associated Press)  
London, Eng., May 11.—Holding in check their forces on the west bank of the Meuse, where they recently scored important successes, the Germans made a successful attack east of the Meuse near Vaux and northwest of Vaux. Paris says the Germans were finally repulsed. There are heavy artillery and infantry drives northwest of Verdun. The French are vigorously counter-attacking near Dead Man's Hill.

On the eastern front the Germans captured five hundred yards of Russian trenches near Selburg.

Austrians and Italians Fight.

(By Associated Press)  
Athens, Greece, May 11.—Sharp fighting is taking place north of Avlona, indicating apparently that the

Austrians have commenced the long threatened offensive against the Italians and Serbians in Albania.

Irish Riot Casualties.

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 11.—Fourteen persons have been executed in Ireland parliamentary under secretary of war, Tennant, told the House of Commons today. Seventy-three have been sentenced to penal servitude and six have been imprisoned at hard labor. The latest estimate of the Dublin casualties is placed at one thousand killed, of which four hundred killed, including soldiers, were insurgents and civilians.

Turks Defeat Russians.

(By Associated Press.)

Constantinople, May 11.—(Official.) In an all-day battle at the Mount Kope sector, in the Caucasus, the Turks drove the Russians out of their positions for nearly ten miles in length.

## SEVERE FLOODS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Property Loss Enormous—Forty Reported Drowned in Camtoos Valley.

(By Associated Press.)

Cape Town, Africa, May 11.—Heavy loss of life and enormous property damage resulted from sudden floods following heavy rains in the midland districts. Forty were drowned in Camtoos Valley. There were smaller losses of life elsewhere.

## PRESENCE IRRITATING, MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

That Course of Affairs in Mexico Is Doubtful Shown By The Fact The Militia of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona Have Been Mustered Into The Regular Army So They Could Be Carried Across The Border If Necessary. Scott Will Hold One More Conference With Obregon. Maj. Langhorne With a Cavalry Squad Has Crossed The Border After The Big Bend Bandits. Three Captured Bandits Are Leading Way To Hiding Place of Others.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 11.—Further indications that American operations on the Mexican border are still indeterminate, came in a war department announcement today.

The National Guard of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are to be mustered into the regular army for the period of their enlistments, with no specific time stipulated for their federal service.

General Scott telegraphed he would hold another conference with General Obregon today.

Secretary of War Baker stated there was nothing to confirm the report that General Scott had served an ultimatum on Obregon for a final answer.

There were no official advices that American troops had crossed the border in the Big Bend region, though it is believed some have done so.

The American consuls were instructed again to warn Americans to leave Mexico, because the state department believes their presence there undesirable.

Troops Rushed Across.

(By Associated Press.)

Marathon, Texas, May 11.—(Bulletin.)—Major G. T. Langhorne, with his troops from the Eighth Cavalry, crossed into Mexico last night. To day they are rapidly riding southward, taking with them three Mexican bandits captured by American mine em

ployes, to guide him to the brigands' camp, who are believed to be twelve hours inland. It is reported J. Deemers is a prisoner in this camp.

Conference in Session.

(By Associated Press.)

El Paso, Texas, May 11.—Negotiations for settlement of the American-Mexican military questions were resumed this afternoon between Generals Scott and Funston for the United States and General Obregon and Juan Amador for Mexico. The conference, which may be the last, is being held in General Scott's private car. Nothing had been disclosed at 2 o'clock today.

Increase Mounted Patrol.

(By Associated Press.)

El Paso, Texas, May 11.—General Funston desires to strengthen the border patrol by mounting one thousand infantrymen on Texas ponies, it was announced today. He plans to make such a recommendation to Secretary of War Baker because the cavalry patrol horses are practically exhausted.

Militia Arriving.

(By Associated Press.)

San Antonio, Texas, May 11.—More than one thousand Texas militia arrived here before noon and went into camp at Fort Sam Houston. This will continue through today and tonight before the mobilization is complete.

## CHINESE REBELS FORM GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press)

Peking, China, May 11.—A southern Chinese provisional government has been organized at Canton by the revolutionary generals, who proclaimed Li Yuan Hung president. They also formed a war cabinet.

## ROANOKE CREW NOT YET FOUND

Four Lifeboats in Which Crew Took Refuge Are Being Sought For By Another Ship.

(By Associated Press.)

San Luis Obispo, Cal., May 11.—Fortyone of the crew of the steamship Roanoke, which during the gale 100 miles south of San Francisco Tuesday, turned turtle and sank, are still missing today. The steamer Lansing is searching for the four lifeboats in which the crew took refuge. The Roanoke carried no passengers.

## BANK ROBBERS ARE CAPTURED

(By Associated Press.)

Gallat, Okla., May 11.—Three men, believed to have robbed the German-American bank at Blackburn, Okla., yesterday, were surrounded and captured by a posse today. The posse secured only three hundred dollars of the money.

CHIEF JENKINS HONORED.

At the State Firemen's Convention, now in session at New Braunfels, Chief C. E. Jenkins of the Bryan fire department was honored by being made chairman of the committee on resolutions.

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## COMMERCIAL CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Annual Meeting Will Be Held On the 23rd of This Month—Much Interest Displayed.

Promptly at 10 o'clock this morning the Commercial Club was called to order by the president, Mr. E. J. Fountain. Several matters of importance were ready for discussion and quite a lively meeting followed. After quite a lengthy discussion a motion carried that the club recommend to the annual meeting which is to be held on the 23rd of this month that the new constitution and by-laws which have been drafted be adopted. It was decided that the annual meeting be held on the 23rd of this month, Tuesday night, and that the entertainment committee, which is composed of John A. Moore, Geo. M. Brandon, J. M. Caldwell, D. D. White, James W. James and J. S. Doane, take the matter of this meeting in hand and make arrangements for same.

The matter of selecting a secretary was next brought up and a committee composed of Major L. L. McInnis, J. L. Edge and John M. Lawrence was appointed by the president to confer with the present secretary, Mr. H. L. McKnight, and see if his services could be retained and what arrangements could be made with him.

A motion carried that a committee of five be appointed to select and recommend to the board of directors members of the club to head each of the seven standing committees for the ensuing year. The following committee was appointed: John M. Lawrence, chairman; R. S. Webb, John A. Moore, A. M. Waldrop and J. S. Doane.

The controversy which has been hanging so long between the City of Bryan and the H. & T. C. Railway relative to the transfer switch track, was brought up and practically every man present took part in the discussion. It was finally disposed of by a motion from Major L. L. McInnis that the president Mr. E. J. Fountain, and Judge John W. Doremus, draft a suitable letter to President Scott of the H. & T. C. Railway and see if a different feeling could not be brought

## AVIATION SCHOOL STUDENT KILLED

Louis Krant and One Student Missing—Three Other Occupants of Machine Are Injured.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, May 11.—Louis Krant, mechanic, and Charles Good, a student aviator, are missing and three other occupants are seriously injured when a large hydroplane flying from Washington to Newport News broke the propeller and fell into the Potomac River near Mount Vernon today.

ENTERTAINMENT AT SMETANA.

A large party has engaged a special interurban car for next Tuesday night to go to Smetana, at which place a big entertainment is to be given.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

The commissioners court of Brazos County is in session this week, sitting as a board of equalization. The tax rolls are being carefully revised and where rendition has been too low the property owners are being notified to appear and show cause why same should not be raised.

NOTICE SHIPPERS.

Shippers of merchandise for the Bryan and Central Texas Interurban are requested to get their shipments to the station not later than 2 p. m. each day. L. M. LEVINSON.

CHOICE DEWBERRIES.

Dewberries for sale at Rose Hill farm, 15 cents quart. Phone 137.

Mrs. William Spencer of Galveston, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the city, left last night for her home.

by all those taking part in the discussion in that manner. It was shown cussion of the matter that the Commercial Club as a body deeply deplored this feeling and wish to get same removed. The club was then adjourned.

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